



QuickNotes

November 29, 2005

Millennium ORT Training - CANCELLED. Due to glitches in Millennium regarding the work flow of creating ORTS - the November 29 and December 1 ORT training classes have been canceled. Once the glitches have been fixed, the ORT training will be rescheduled and everyone will be notified. If you have any questions, please contact Marsha Hamilton, Deidra Herring or Dana DeRose.

Demonstration of Audiovisual Digital Library Program. On Thursday December 1 at 3:30 p.m., librarians from Indiana University will be giving a demonstration of their "Variations2" (<http://variations2.indiana.edu/>) audiovisual digital library program in room 122 Thompson (Main) Library. The OSU Music/Dance Library has become a partner with Indiana University on the development of the next phase of the project, "Variations3." The current initiative has just been awarded a grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Studies (<http://www.ims.gov/>). Please join us for this introductory presentation as we begin a new era of library services in support of the Department of Dance and the School of Music.

EBSCO Holiday Magazine Offer has been Cancelled. EBSCO has informed us that they will no longer offer this discount because the State of Ohio has tightened its definition on gifts to state employees. This has made it impossible for them to continue the discount. If you have questions contact Terry Camelford, 292-6314, camelford.1@osu.edu.

Last official week for the Community Charitable Drive. We are very close to our goal of \$14,500. To date we have collected \$13,813 in donations including the \$139 from the Chili Cook Off. We just need \$687 more to reach our goal. If you plan to donate and have not done so, please consider doing so this week so the Libraries can meet its goal. Pat Peterson in the Business Library is the winner this week of a gift certificate to Champps Restaurant. Congratulations Pat!

Ms. Zhang Xiaowen and Ms. Pan Jun from the Shanghai Library will be visiting the University Libraries from November 28 through December 9. Their two-week visit at Ohio State reciprocates the month-long visit of Trisha Davis (S/ER) in Shanghai in August-September 2005. Guo-qing Li, Chinese Studies Librarian, is coordinating their schedule. Zhang Xiaowen is a member of the staff of the Acquisitions and Cataloging Center. Pan Jun is a member of the staff of the Information Consultation and Research Center. In the next few weeks the Libraries will likely also be hosting delegations from Tianjin University and Wuhan University. WU is OSU's "sister" university! For more information contact Jim Bracken, 292-4739, <mailto:bracken.1@osu.edu>.

Faculty Recognition Book Selection Exhibit, November 21 - December 3, Sills Gallery, Thompson Library: See the books selected by those faculty members being honored this year.

2005 Libraries' Door Holiday Decorating Contest: All doors must be decorated by Friday, December 2; pictures will be taken the afternoons of December 5 and 6. Vote from December 7 until the end of the day of December 14. The winning door will be announced at the annual holiday party on Thursday, December 15. If you're interested in participating in the door decorating, contact Lila Andersen, 2-9077 or <mailto:andersen.43@osu.edu> by December 2.

The next issue of QuickNotes will be sent to "Liball" on Tuesday, December 6. If you have a brief reminder you'd like included, send it to Pam McClung at <mailto:mcclung.26@osu.edu> by December 5. Please make the subject heading "QuickNotes."